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1. [] the following shipments passed through the Frankfurt/Oder and Kuestrin border stations between 5 and 10 October 1953:

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T - tank car

Date in October	Number of Cars	From	To
5	50	Bad Salzungen	Brest-Litovsk
	48	"	"
6	48	Leipzig	"
	48	Troeglitz	Stettin
	48	Bad Salzungen	Brest Litovsk
7	16 T	Boehlen	Velten
9	20 T	Buna (Schkopau)	Brest Litovsk
10	45	Aue	"
	45	Satzkorn	"

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2. [] the following shipments passed through the Frankfurt/Oder and Kuestrin border stations between 21 September and 5 October:
B - boxcar, E - express train coach, F - flatcar, S - sleeper

Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
21	6 S	new	Schlauroth	Brest Litovsk
	12 E	"	"	"
	3 F	wheel sets	Halle	"
	43 F	machinery parts	Leipzig	"
	34 T	undetermined	Boehlen	Frankfurt/Oder
	6 F	machinery	Frankfurt/Oder	Weimar
	19 F	motor-vehicle parts and boilers	Magdeburg	Brest Litovsk
	42 B	undetermined	Frankfurt/Oder	Leipzig
	42 T	gasoline	Grossakorbetha	Frankfurt/Oder
25	6 E	new	Halle	Brest Litovsk
	2 F	wheel sets	"	"
26	12 E	new	"	"
	3 F	wheel sets	"	"

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Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	
26	37 F 34 T	machinery parts gasoline	Leipzig Grosskorbetha	Brest-Litovsk Frankfurt/ Oder	1
30	43 B	"Masse" (uranium ore)	Aue	Brest-Litovsk	3
2 October	10 E 4 F	new wheel sets	Halle	"	4
3 "	53 F 43 T	crane parts gasoline	Leipzig Grosskorbetha	" Frankfurt/ Oder	1
4 "	49 F 52 B and F	machinery parts undetermined	Magdeburg Cottbus	Brest Litovsk "	
5 "	16 F 42 B 58 F	machinery parts undetermined machinery parts	" Bad Salzungen Leipzig	Frankfurt/ Oder Brest Litovsk "	

3. Shipments observed in Frankfurt/Oder en route from Brest Litovsk in the direction of Eberswalde included 25 flatcars with 25 trucks with van-like superstructures on 3 October, and 8 flatcars with 12 trucks on 8 October.⁵

4. [REDACTED] a total of 707 and 63 carloads of grain entered East Germany via the Frankfurt/Oder and Guben border stations respectively in September.⁶

1. [REDACTED] Comment. Deliveries of East German hydrogenation plants to the USSR.

2. [REDACTED] Comment. Intrazonal supply shipment to the Soviet fuel depot in Velten.

3. [REDACTED] Comment. Uranium ore shipments to the USSR. [REDACTED]

4. [REDACTED] Comment. New railroad cars delivered to the USSR. The Soviet-gauge wheel sets will be used on these cars in the USSR.

5. [REDACTED] Comment. These shipments were either consigned to the Soviet Army or the KVP.

6. [REDACTED] Comment. In September, a total of 760 empty boxcars for grain shipments were dispatched to the USSR. [REDACTED] compared with August 1952, grain imports decreased by 50 percent. [REDACTED]

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